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## Globke Widened My Powers — Eichmann

By MACAREE DEAN and DORIS LANKIN,  
Jerusalem Post Reporters

TODAY the country is once more confronted with hospitals and dispensaries bereft of most of their physicians, and PROFESSIONS public works establishments minus their workers.

It is for the present a one-day demonstration, but there is a feeling that it was called before all other possible means of settling the problems under debate had been exhausted. First used by workers against oppressive employers, the strike in Israel is being invoked mainly by the better-off and most highly qualified earners, and the strike hurts, not the employer's pocket, but the public. It is difficult to avoid the conclusion that there is a sense of frustration among the professional workers, justified or unjustified as it may be.

Both the Israel Medical Association and the Engineers Union are fighting for the introduction of much higher increments than the government, as the employing agency, is willing to concede in their collective contracts, which expired in April, 1960. The physicians protest that the government should have taken so long to renew the contract; the government replies that a settlement had been reached in March, but the I.M.A. then suddenly switched leadership and the agonies of negotiations had to be gone through all over again.

The Engineers Union, in its turn, had at first agreed to await the outcome of the doctors' talks and then abruptly disowned the agreement. It has an unfortunate organizational structure, with almost equal large factions and some small ones holding the balance. The position of the engineers is somewhat different to that of the doctors, with a marked demand for manpower and quick promotion available for capable young men.

Yet the doctors have many justifiable complaints which should be sympathetically studied. For example, they say that because the staff establishment of the hospitals was decided upon 10 years ago it now no longer reflects the needs of the country nor the work actually done by the physicians. Doctors are being paid on the basis of as many as 25 patients in a ward, whereas in reality they have 40 or more patients in their care without extra remuneration. There also seems to be grounds for their claim that they do not enjoy the same basic social welfare benefits enjoyed by other employees, and especially their charge that a hospital physician is not accorded the status of a permanent member of the staff even after working there for 10 years.

The doctors wish to have quicker promotion for members and less unpaid night duty in hospitals. The engineers call for a series of wage rises which the Histadrut opposes sharply, charging them with trying to turn the present strong demand for engineers into a permanent wage factor. The issue is not whether salaries should be increased, but by how much.

Both groups, and particularly the engineers, have insisted that their claims must be met before peace negotiations begin before the elections. Dr. Arnon had suggested to the I.M.A. that the entire issue be referred to an expert enquiry commission which would issue its findings in a matter of weeks. It is hardly to be expected that this complicated issue can be fully examined before August 15, and both groups should have much self-respect to insist that the election that they are exploiting the pre-election atmosphere. Only the new government can make far-reaching decisions, and these will be important because these two well-established groups are the fulcrum of the entire wage structure of the salaried professionals. Any change in their earnings will naturally bring a chain reaction.

Now the time has come for the public to take a good look at the idea, once proposed by Mr. Ben-Gurion, whereby labour disputes of this kind would be handled by special neutral tribunals acceptable to both sides.

**GIFTS FOR GRUBER**  
BONN (Reuter). — The German Protestant churchman Dr. Heinrich Gruber, who saved many Jews from extermination by the Nazis, has said that gifts intended on his 70th birthday on Saturday should be given in the form of contributions to plant trees near Jerusalem.

Dr. Gruber recently gave evidence at the Eichmann trial in Jerusalem.



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Armed members of the She'ar Yashuv moshav board a bulldozer to haul back a tractor which was left in the fields on Tuesday after it was hit by Syrian fire from across the border. (Reuter Photo)

### Charge Not True — Bonn

BONN. (AP) — Chancellor Adenauer last night denied flatly Eichmann's claim at his trial in Jerusalem yesterday that the Chancellor's right-hand man, Dr. Hans Globke, took part in the persecution of Jews in the Hitler period.

The Chancellor's Office issued a statement stating that Dr. Globke was in no way responsible through his position in the Nazi Interior Ministry for the deprivation of citizenship "suffered by the Jews or for the confiscation of their property."

The statement said this had been established beyond a doubt by an investigation of Globke conducted by the State Prosecutor's Office in Bonn earlier this year, which showed Dr. Globke was not responsible for Jewish affairs.

Yesterday was a document day at the Eichmann trial, and Servatius, acting as the accused in connection with the document, after document, to explain and expound their contents. Eichmann continued to speak directly and without undue hesitation, but once, when he began a too frequent use of lengthy and involved German sentences, the President, Max Landau, asked Dr. Servatius to have him speak in short sentences if he wishes to be understood.

At one time, Eichmann volunteered a suggestion that he read a document to corroborate a previous one. When Justice Landau pointed out that it was "not usual procedure" for the accused to take such initiative, Dr. Servatius apologized, saying that he was accustomed to a lot of documents.

This testimony apparently took the Government by surprise. Before the Eichmann trial opened a very highly placed official, who declined to be identified, said that during his pre-trial examination Eichmann said he had never heard of Globke, never had dealings with anyone by that name and never seen any documents bearing Globke's name.

This was an investigation of Globke, undertaken by the State Prosecutor's Office in Bonn because of statements made by Dr. Max Merten, a Nazi official in Greece during World War II.

Merten said that Globke persuaded Eichmann to reject a proposal to release 10,000 Jewish women and children and allow them to escape to Palestine. Globke denied this and sued Merten for libel.

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**Austrian on Trial For Mass Murder**

WELS, Austria (Reuter). — Dr. Egon Schoenpflug, 46, former mining company personnel officer, will be put on trial here on Monday for the mass murder of Jews and partisans in Nazi-occupied Poland and Russia.

The prosecution here will present an indictment of Schoenpflug accusing him of taking part in the liquidation of at least 19,037 — and probably some 45,000 — Jews and partisans between July and September, 1941.

Schoenpflug, arrested a year ago, is alleged to have belonged to the notorious "S.S. Commando" which operated from Warsaw over to Minsk and Mogilev in White Russia, and which was charged with wiping out partisans and clearing the area of Jews.

In Bad Aussee, the interrogation of Dr. Wilhelm Hoettl, a former Nazi S.S. officer and close associate of Eichmann, has produced a sensational and completely new fact, reliable sources said yesterday.

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**Moscow-Peking Pact**

MOSCOW (AP) — A five-year agreement on scientific cooperation was signed yesterday by the Soviet Union and China, Tass reported.

The entire testimony was given in a somewhat discreet atmosphere. Taxis were sent here from Moscow, where many Jews were transported to this place, others were despatched there — and somehow the fact that many of these persons were being shipped to their death was not mentioned.

Eichmann stated that, as far as the populations uprooted from their homes and countries were concerned, the close cooperation between the various departments was to their advantage. It was impossible to use this word, as it allowed for more efficient and orderly evacuation.

Whenever any expert opinion was required on Jewish racial questions — such as the definition of Sephardi or Ashkenazi Jews, or the status of Armenian or Persian Jews — reference was made to Department VII, which dealt with "ideological and Scientific Racial Re-

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**With deep grief we announce the passing away of our beloved mother and grandmother**

**Mrs. Bianca Naschitz**

(née Arnhem)

The funeral has already taken place.

Kindly refrain from condolence visits.

The Hebrew University and Hadassah Medical School expresses its condolences to the family on the death of

**DUBA SCHECHTER**

who willed her body to Medical Research.

To Natanel Wexler and His Family  
We share your grief in mourning  
the death of your son

**YEHONATAN**

who fell on active service

**THE MANAGEMENT AND WORKERS OF MEKOROT**

**Kennedy Said Seeking Better UAR Relations**

WASHINGTON (INA) —

In an editorial, the "Daily Herald" renewed recent press criticism of the British Government for showing "friendship" to Portugal.

The Baptist report said that after Africans had made the first attack on isolated farms and villages, Portugal's military reinforcements were sent to the area and widespread and indiscriminate bombing of villages followed.

In fear, many villagers fled into the bush, many thousands of them making their way over the borders into lower Congo," the report said, adding that "reliable reports place the number of refugees there at 50,000."

The report said that the Baptist mission in Quibio-Cole was evacuated on Portuguese orders, with the reason of "security and safety."

It said that the rebels' hands had so far not molested any missionary and in fact, during an attack on Membe, they bypassed the mission.

In Luanda, an intensification of guerrilla actions is reported from North Angola coinciding with the start of the harvesting of coffee and reinforcement of Portuguese military garrisons.

**UK Won't Pledge To Hold Arms to Angels**

LONDON (UPI) — Mr. N. MacPherson, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade, has refused a Labour Member's request for assurances that the Government prevent the export of arms and ammunition to Angola.

The action came three days after the Admiralty announced it had sold Portugal's more Royal Navy frigates.

Labour MP. James Callaghan had asked the President of the Board of Trade for an assurance that no British-made export of arms and ammunition would be given for delivery to Angola or

any other country.

He told newsmen that 30 civilians, including several top civil servants and four women, had been locked up during the 30 days of his rule. This was in addition to five persons arrested on charges of inciting the public. There was "no distinction between civilians and army personnel" as far as corruption and prosecution was concerned, he said.

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## Russia to Follow Suit if U.S. Resumes A-Tests, 'K' Warns

### Support Grows For Algeria Partition

By MAURICE CARR,  
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

PARIS. — The idea of partition for Algeria is increasing, gaining ground, according to the political correspondent of "Le Monde," Pierre Viansson-Pontévès.

He writes that "its champions inside and outside the Government affirm that all the bad Algerian solutions — no good solution capable of implementation exists — will be accepted by the West, the least difficult and even internationally approved, and in the last resort it would be least prejudicial to our interests."

After the breakdown of the Elysée Treaty, the President states, Paris thought of promoting the Provisional Government in Algeria without the FLN, in conformity with the Gaullist project approved by the French people in the referendum last January.

But "this move seems now to have been abandoned outright" because leading Moslems declined to serve as Ministers. The only remaining alternative to partition, namely, a negotiated settlement with the FLN, appears remote.

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The remark about possible war came in response to a question from Representative Robert Chipperfield who was monitoring Mr. Dillon's economic speech.

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## Restitution Sought for Israelis From 7 European Countries

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Foreign Ministry is conducting negotiations with several European countries on behalf of Israelis who, during World War II, were citizens of Nazi-occupied nations and who may be eligible for restitution under a 1960 agreement between Germany and these countries.

Under the agreement, Germans may have lump sum payments to seven countries — Norway, Denmark, Holland, Belgium, France, Italy and Greece. The distribution of the money was left to their own discretion.

Mr. Zeev Argaman, of the Foreign Ministry, who recently returned from negotiations in Europe, told *The Jerusalem Post* that attempts were being made by German officials to determine the countries that their former citizens, who have since immigrated to Israel, should receive their fair share of the payments despite the fact that at the time of the agreement in 1960 they were already citizens of Israel.

Mr. Argaman said that there were no difficulties with regard to France and Belgium, since both allowed dual citizenship. Greeks, on the other hand, which does not allow dual citizenship, has stipulated that recipients must be Greek citizens before being granted dual status.

The figure of 22 per cent was provided by a recent poll carried out by a group of researchers from Bad Godesberg. Of 1,455 people questioned at random 40 per cent declared themselves satisfied with the extent of the Eichmann trial coverage given by the press. 32 per cent found that the trial was given too much attention. Two per cent held that it was altogether unnecessary.

Many German men and women to whom I talked are ashamed of the meager echo the trial strikes in Germany, especially among Germans," Mr. Argaman said. He noted that the lack of interest in the trial is partly the result of a word-of-mouth propaganda campaign aimed at persuading the country that the trial was engineered to discredit Germany as a whole and that the Communists are at the bottom of it.

In the case of Holland, the problem is not so simple. Dutch citizens are allowed dual citizenship provided they obtain "royal permission." Dutch citizenship is lost, however, if one serves in the government or armed forces of another nation. Thus there are some Dutch citizens who were, and still are, Dutch citizens, and others who have lost their Dutch citizenship.

Efforts are being made to behalf of the latter.

Mr. Argaman noted that the negotiations in all marked countries have been marked by great mutual understanding and sincere attempts to reach equitable solutions.

Bonn is also studying the cases of quite a large number of people who for various legal and technical reasons did not qualify for restitution under the 1960 agreement nor under the programme whereby Germany makes payment directly to individuals who suffered at the hands of the Nazis.

## Ahram Nissan Forest Dedicated in Nogev

A 70,000-tree forest in memory of Ahram Nissan, who was Israel's first envoy to the five North Countries, was dedicated yesterday in the presence of Mr. Sachar, his family, and friends.

A dedication ceremony of bed-endowments donated by Mr. M. Sachar, London, took place at Sharet Cedars Hospital, Jerusalem, yesterday in the presence of Mr. Sachar, his family, and friends.

The Annual General Meeting of the Israel-Sweden Chamber of Commerce will take place today at 5 p.m. at Beth Shalom, Tel Aviv. The Swedish Ambassador, Mr. Hugo de Tamm, will be present.

Prof. A. de Vries will address today's luncheon meeting of the Tel Aviv-Jaffa Rotary Club on "Snakes and Men."

Dr. M. Oppenheim will lecture at the Williams Planetarium, Hebrew University Campus, Jerusalem, this evening at 8 on "The Petrogenesis of the Igneous Rocks in South Eastern Galilee."

**BIRTH**

**BENTAL** — To Lily and Gad Bental — a daughter, Nurit, sister to Danny, Assuta Holtzman, Tel Aviv, 16.6.1961.

## WHAT'S ON

**JERUSALEM**  
MAYLAND HOTEL: Five o'clock Tea Service. Dances every Saturday night. Israeli films every Tuesday night. Transport: Hotel bus opp. Taxi Israel, Tel Aviv. 2488-99-90.

**Gardens of Eden**: Pension, 31 Ben Yehuda Street. Tel Aviv. 3221. Best Bakeries, Tel Aviv. 2488-99-90.

**Drink & Dance**: Relax and have a good time at Bacchus. Tourists welcome too. Pension: Geiger Bar. Restaurant: Tel Aviv. Tel. 2238.

**New Israeli Films**: Daily showings. Karen Hayadon Hall, 12 noon, 1 p.m. \* Israeli Scientific Film Organization

\* **Organizations**: Nuclear Reactor Lubricants (cartoon). "Light in Nature". The film will be introduced. Admission free. The public invited. Wiss. Museum, Hebrew University Campus, Tel Aviv. Transport back assured.

**Tours**: Hebrew University. Conducted daily. Devenstair Lobby. Wise Auditorium, University Campus. Settlements and forests from wilderness sea with your own guide. Tel Aviv. 21.1.1. Starts 8 a.m. daily. Hadassah Club. Strauss Health Centre, Tel Aviv.

**Exhibitions**: Archaeological Museum Department of Antiquities. Tel Aviv. National Shrine (Odeh Yishak) and in the new exhibition entitled "Warning and Witdown". Sundays to Thursdays, 9 a.m. Friday and Saturday 9 a.m. 1.30 p.m. 8 p.m. 8 a.m. daily. Hadassah Club. Strauss Health Centre, Tel Aviv.

"Eichmann Trial" sketched by Miriam Sima. Artistic House, 10-14. "Today", permanent exhibition. Haydn's "Hammer". Tel Aviv. 1-4.

Israel National Museum. Permanent exhibition of Jewish Ceremonial Art. Archaeological

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search" under the direction of Professor Six. "But to be absolutely accurate," added Silberman, "I must point out that last year, giving scientific opinion, this department very often sent a reference book such as the Encyclopaedia Judaica, referred to the appropriate page in the book, and left the final opinion to Department IV."

Dr. Servatius then submitted a series of documents, on which he questioned the accuracy of the information about Department IV. He had not begun his activities until January, 1940. He was called to Berlin, he said, following his successful efforts in promoting the legal establishment of Jews from Austria and Czechoslovakia.

In Berlin he was told that it would take "eight to ten years" to carry out the emigration of all the German Jews.

**Only Supplied Trains**

His new task, Eichmann was told, was only to supply the trains in which those engaged in the actual evacuation of Jews from the Government General area of German-occupied Poland.

Chaotic conditions reigned at the time, he said, and "some persons were kept locked in trains for eight days without food and water to eat and perform their natural functions."

To support his claim that his job was merely to supply transports, Eichmann at this point, in an attempt to be rid of his emissaries abroad, was kept in the head of the diplomatic missions for their conduct.

Another document showed that Krumey "was noted. My department was then called IVD4, and not IVB4."

Commenting on another document, Eichmann said that all the "best elements" of the Volkssoldatke had been scheduled to accompany and guard the trains.

"But this was not always done. Due to the freezing weather, women and children being moved in freight cars suffered hardships. Orders were given to move them in passenger coaches but this was not always done."

Eichmann admitted that 1,000 Jews were expelled from Stettin to make room for German officials, and that this expulsion became a "dead march". He said this was due to the haste with which the local Nazis who handled the expulsion had had to act, and the responsibility for the affair rests on those persons not on him.

Hans Frank, the head of the Government General of Poland, refused to accept these Jews "he could refuse to admit them just as the head of any country could" — because they had been expelled from Germany by Hitler.

He said the government had decided to use its exchange fund to neutralize the inflow of foreign capital and drag down the value of the dollar to a "significant discount" in terms of the American dollar. He declined to set a definite foreign exchange rate.

The Canadian dollar has been selling at close to par with the American dollar in the last few days but has been hit by a 10% (American) in recent days.

Mr. Fleming expressed concern about the possibility of Britain joining the European Common Market.

Mr. Fleming said the Canadian Government had made it clear to Britain that "that vital Canadian trade interests would be affected" if the United Kingdom decided to enter the Common Market.

He reiterated the proposal made by Premier Diefenbaker for a meeting of Commonwealth Ministers.

In Kaduna, Northern Nigeria, Mr. Michael Ofori, Minister of African Affairs to the Federal Premier, yesterday urged the formation of an African Economic Market to counter attempts to draw Britain into the European Common Market.

Dr. Nissan unveiled the plaque bearing her and her husband's name. Among those present were the Swedish Ambassador, Mr. Hugo de Tamm, the Norwegian Ambassador, the Icelandic and Danish Consuls; the Chairman of the Jewish National Fund Praesidium, Mr. Yaakov Tavor, and the Director-General of the Foreign Ministry, Dr. Haim Yahl.

## MOROCCO QUILTS ILQ CONFERENCE

GENEVA. — Morocco has decided to withdraw its delegation from the International Labour Organization conference in protest against Mauritania's admission to Mauritania, according to a Moroccan delegation source.

The conference voted on Tuesday by 230 to 25 (with 72 abstentions) in favour of admitting Mauritania as its 100th member. Morocco claims that Mauritania is an integral part of its territory, and contests its independence which dates from last November.

Earlier the vote on Mauritania's admission split the ranks of the Afro-Asian group. Among the government delegates Tunisia supported Mauritania's admission. Morocco, Iraq, Jordan, Libya, and Sudan voted against, and the abstentions included India, Ghana, Guinea and Cyprus.

The Moroccan delegate Ben Jelloun emphasized the historic, geographic, ethnic and juridical links between Morocco and Mauritania, said yesterday. "Morocco is for Algeria what the Sahara is for Algeria."

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## 'Israel's No Bridgehead Of Imperialism' — Okpara

Jerusalem Post Diplomatic Reporter

"If we thought Israel was a bridgehead of imperialism we wouldn't have come here," declared Dr. Michael Okpara, Premier of Eastern Nigeria yesterday at a press conference at the King David Hotel in answer to a question about the recent communiqué issued jointly by Col. Nasser and Dr. Okpara.

Dr. Okpara, who criticizes and frank answers impressed all the newsmen, stated that he was especially struck by Israel's cordiality and friendliness and its "hard working people."

He added that "it was this story of your progress that brought us here. Now we've confirmed it, and we're taking these impressions back to our country, particularly in such fields as agriculture and education."

He noted that his Government plans to establish six farm settlements patterned on the moshav and was hopeful of receiving aid from Israel's agricultural experts.

In a communiqué issued by the Ministry of Agriculture, it was reported that the Minister, Mr. Moshe Dayan, had agreed to send a top Israeli expert to prepare the ground for further aid in the establishment of these settlements. It was also agreed to send agricultural students from Eastern Nigeria to study in Israel.

Dr. Okpara also revealed that his country, as well as most African states, is basically in favour of African union. "The differences of opinion," he said, "arise from the question of timing."

His Government believes that the stand adopted by certain participants at the Casablanca Conference, that union is essential, must come gradually — should not be forced on anyone, and must be preceded by cultural, economic, and political cooperation.

**ARRIVAL** Sir John Barcroft, to conduct the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra, is scheduled to open the season's concert tour in Tel Aviv, and Lady Evelyn, for a series of appearances as violin soloist with the I.P.O. (by E.B.).

**HANSHIL-POLJO'S** "March of Prutot" has been extended indefinitely to make up for the time the organization's staff and volunteer workers have devoted to helping the Health Ministry carry out its live-vaccine inoculation programme.

**AIR RAID** SIRENS will be tested today at Pardes Hanna, Karkur, and Binyamina with a two-minute continuous blast. In the event of an air raid, a three-minute warning blast will be sounded.

**THE SESSION** of the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Security Committee which was scheduled for 4 o'clock this afternoon, with the participation of the Foreign Minister, has been postponed till further notice.

**A PAPER** shredder for the destruction of all office waste, which sometimes contains secret or confidential material, will be put into operation at the Finance Ministry in Jerusalem today. The shredder, which will be one centimetre wide, will be sold to cardboard factories.

**Dimona Road Accident** Injured Out of Danger

**Jerusalem Post Reporter**

**BEERSHEBA** — The 45-year-old Solel Boneh worker, Isaac Lefkowitz, who was killed Tuesday in an accident on the Dimona-Beersheba road, was buried here yesterday. He leaves wife and three children.

The staff of the local Kupat Holim hospital worked until the early hours of the morning treating the 21 injured of the accident. All are out of danger. Eighteen others had been sent home Tuesday night after treatment.

The accident occurred when a truck carrying workers home from Dimona to Beersheba crashed into a trailer carrying a crane.

According to eye witnesses, the driver of the truck, Nissim Pinash, 40, was attempting to overtake the trailer when he suddenly swerved back to avoid a car coming toward him. Because of the speed at which he was traveling, he crashed into the trailer with such force that the truck's engine block was smashed.

Pinash, who was not injured, was detained for questioning.

**SOLDIER BURIED IN SAFAD** — Yehonatan Weizer, a soldier who fell in the line of duty, was laid to rest with full military honours in the Safad Cemetery yesterday.

**Yavniel Memorial** The President and Mrs. Ben Zvi eulogized Shmuel Yavniel at a gathering of the Yavniel Memorial Committee at Beit Hanassi on Tuesday. Other eulogies were delivered by Meir Zevi Osn, of the Histadrut Central Committee; Deputy Knesset Speaker Yaakov Tsvayahu, and Mr. David Zeev, Mr. Avraham Harfend, M.K., presided.

**ROSOLIO SHOSHIM** A memorial meeting for David Rosolio was held at the Rubin Academy of Music in Jerusalem last night. Yitzhak Rabin and cantor M. Stern chanted the El Male Rachamim. Plantet Jerome Lowenthal played.

**Tobie Rubine** (née Miroshnikov) Haifa

**MARRIED**

Haifa — June 21, 1961

The unveiling of the tombstone over the grave of the late

**Dr. Walter Markowicz** will take place on Sunday, June 25, at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances are requested to meet at 1.45 p.m. at the entrance to the Kfar Hayim cemetery, Haifa.

**GITA MARKOWICZ** SHMUEL MERHAV (Markowics) REUVEN MERHAV (Markowics)

## Eban Sees 'Peace Through Education'

At the centre of Jewish and Arab education in Israel stands the vision of a future to be shared in peace," said the Minister of Education and Culture, Mr. Abba Eban, in a speech delivered yesterday at the Hebrew University Arab school principals in Haifa.

Speaking in Arabic at the conclusion of a tour of Arab schools in Central Israel and Galilee, Mr. Eban said that education was essential for the future more than with the present. Its theme was therefore the future peace in our region and not the present tension.

"Both peoples must be educated to understand that the Middle East is the home of four great nations whose destiny lies in cooperation. Towards this end, it is the duty of Jewish schools to devote more attention to an appreciation and understanding of Arab language and culture. A mutual contemplation by Jews and Arabs of each other's cultural tradition is an essential part of any long-term programme for the promotion of peace," the Minister said.

During his tour Mr. Eban also addressed a meeting of notables gathered in the home of the Mayor of Nazareth.

Mr. Eban was accompanied by the Director-General of the Ministry, Dr. Hanoch Rinot.

Dr. Eban and his party left last night for Tel Aviv after spending a week in Israel. Present at Lydda airport on their departure were the Foreign Minister, Mr. Golda Meir, the Director-General of the World Zionist Organization, Dr. Yitzhak Shamir, Israel's Ambassador to Nigeria, Mr. Hanan Yavov; the Chief of Protocols, Mr. A. Ribon, and senior Ministry officials.

## Explosion of Gas Container Sets Off Big Tel Aviv Fire

TEL AVIV. — Damage estimated at tens of thousands of pounds was caused yesterday afternoon when a gas cylinder exploded at a gas station in the Casablanca area.

The container had slipped off the delivery truck during unloading.

Fire Brigade workers who were on the scene within six minutes worked under constant danger because of the gas containers still stacked in a nearby garage had been damaged, two of them badly. Merchandise estimated at thousands of pounds was destroyed in the conflagration.

The driver of the truck had pulled up outside a Tel Aviv confectionery store on Rehov Herzl to begin unloading. One of the containers slipped from his hand and fell to the pavement, touching off a spark which ignited the contents.

Though burnt, the driver managed to jump clear. The fire spread to an adjacent truck and both vehicles were completely destroyed.

Two fire engines, working from three fire engines, battled with the flames. The gas containers kept under a constant spray of cold water were removed one by one from the area.

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The Israel Premiere of "Exodus" was attended last night by the organizers of the benefit performance in Tel Aviv (from l. to r.): Weissmann Institute Executive Chairman Meyer W. Weissman and World Wise Hon. Treasurer Mrs. Rays Jaglom. They are shown welcoming Mayor Mordechai Namir. (Photo by Rosenblum)

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## Israeli Premiere of 'Exodus'

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — A gala audience last night filled the Zafon cinema here for the Israel premiere of Otto Preminger's film "Exodus." Five hundred "first nighters" paid a total of IL50,000 for the benefit performance, with the proceeds going to the "action committee."

Vigorous Histadrut opposition to the strike was voiced on Tuesday night by Mr. Yehezkel Meshel, head of the Trades Union Department, who told the strikers that they were undermining the organizational discipline of the Histadrut.

Mr. Y. Wolfson, of the Electric Company's Workers' Committee, called for the creation of a more effective national Meat Marketing Council, lower profits for middlemen along the line and the elimination of municipal and other taxes termed by the Committee as "unjustified."

In the afternoon, a press showing of the film was also attended by many of the Israeli actors and film technicians who participated in the production. The appearance of a usually well-known face on the screen prompted cheers from the audience.

A second gala benefit showing will be held tonight with the proceeds going entirely to the Zafon.

**CYPRIOS** — Immigrants from Cyprus during the first five months of the year numbered 1,800, compared with 525 for the same period last year. Home Secretary R.A. Butler told the Commons in London yesterday.

The official added that he had tried to smuggle 874 wristwatches into the country.

The Lyddo Airport customs police discovered the watches hidden in Meister's clothing and in the false bottom of a valise when he arrived early this month. A magistrate, Justice Dr. Ogen, said that the watches were worth IL27,000, and another IL32,000 in duties and purchase tax.

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**Swiss Smuggler Fined IL10,000**

TEL AVIV. — A Swiss visitor to Israel, Ernst Meier, was yesterday fined IL10,000, with the alternative of serving a month in jail.

The driver of the truck was fined IL10,000 for driving under the influence of alcohol.

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**Steel City's Electric Crucible Completed**

TEL AVIV. — The first Israeli-manufactured raw steel plant will be turned over on June 26 to the country's first electric crucible which is to be ready next spring. Its first annual output of 20,000 tons is already earmarked for West Africa.

The crucible, manufactured in Norway, was installed over two years with the help of experts sent by the manufacturer, Mr. Meir Ilan, Minister of Steel City, and after negotiations agreed on its price.

The crucible will open with a lifting capacity of 40 tons while the 40-ton capacity is expected to open in a few months. The plant was set up under the supervision of the noted South African physician, Dr. Jack Penn.

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